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RECENT DEATHS AMONG SOVIET METEOROLOGISTS

1. Taborovskiy, N. L., Doctor of Physicomathematical Sciences

Born 19 September 1902. Worked almost exclusively in Central Forecasting Institute. His last important work, published in 1947, detailed the principles of advective-dynamic analysis of atmospheric processes. This method is now the pride of Soviet synoptic meteorology. Died 2 August 1948. (Met i Gid. No 4, Jul/Aug 1948)

Tikhomirov, Ye. I., Professor

Born 14 March 1888. Appointed assistant director of Main Geophysical Observatory in 1921; worked there until 1928. In 1929, took active part in reorganization of Hydrometeorological Service of the USSR. Visited Germany, Austria, Sweden, Denmark, and France during 1925 - 1928 to become familiar with foreign work and to popularize Soviet Meteorological Service. In 1936, was asked to serve as chief of Geophysics Division, Arctic Scientific-Research Institute, where he worked until his death on 1 July 1947. (Met i Gid, No 3, May/Jun 1948)

Polyakov, B. V., Professor, Doctor of Technical Sciences

Born 1894. From 1917 - 1930, studied rivers of Don basin and taught in Rostov-on-Don Polytechnical Institute. In 1930, directed hydrological surveys for State Institute for Planning Water Constructions (Giprovod). In 1933, was asked to Moscow to direct hydrological investigations in lands east of Volga and in Lower Volga (Nizhnevologoproyekt). In Moscow, taught at Moscow Engineering-Construction Institute imeni Kuybyshev, Moscow Hydrometeorological Institute, and Moscow State University after Hydrometeorological Institute was moved to Leningrad. Was director of Buread of Water Resources of Council on Study of Productive Forces of USSR and in 1948 acted as assistant director of Central Forecasting Institute. Died 9 October 1948. (Met i Gid., No 5, Sep/Oct 1948)

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4. Mal'chenko, Ye. V.

Born 23 December 1874. Named scientific secretary and acting assistant director of Main Geophysical Observatory in 1923. Consultant on aerology and meteorology in Commission for Study of Yakutsk ASSR of All-Union Academy of Sciences from 1926 to 1930. Appointed director of Geophysical Institute of TsChO in 1930. Transferred in 1932 to Moscow to direct Aerological Sector of State Geophysics Institute. Acted as assistant chief of aerological expedition to Ay-Petri in 1933. Worked as senior specialist, Aerological Administration, Central Administration of Unified Hydrometeorological Service, from 1933 to 1937. From end of 1937 till his death on 30 January 1948, served as teacher and director of Department of Meteorology, Moscow Hydrometeorological Technical School. Taught courses in general meteorology, synoptic meteorology, and climatology in Leningrad University, Voronezh State University, and Voronezh Agricultural Institute. (Met i Gid., No 3, May/Jun 1948)

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